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SALEM NEWS

J. C. Sinclair, of Thacker, W. Va., is in Salem on business.
 A. J. Riddick returned Saturday night from a trip to Staunton.
 Vernon Tompkins left this morning for Fincastle to attend the fair.
 Hon. A. A. Phlegar came to Salem yesterday to attend circuit court.
 Mayor Jones, of Roanoke, was in Salem attending circuit court yesterday.

Smead & Saunders are preparing to have their drug store newly papered and painted.
 George Muse, county treasurer, will leave to-day for Richmond on official business.
 Mrs. Frank G. Webber left for Richmond yesterday to attend the fair and visit relatives.

James Persinger and wife left yesterday for Richmond on a visit of several weeks to relatives.
 Harry H. Roberts, who has been sick for several days, is much improved and will soon be out again.
 Alfred Burdett, after spending Sunday in Salem, left yesterday for his home in St. Louis, Mo.

Quite a number of old Confederate soldiers from Salem will attend the Fincastle fair on Friday next.
 John Spessard, of Catawba, who has been absent about six months visiting in Missouri, has returned home.
 Miss Smith, from Bedford City, who has been visiting the family of J. R. C. Brown, Jr., returned to her home yesterday.

Mrs. F. A. Lovelock will leave to-day for Richmond to join her husband, who is officially connected with the fair at that city.
 Harry Ballard, who formerly clerked in the dry goods store of Ed. Marshall, of this place, after several months in the employ of Neal Brothers, of Scottsville, Va., has returned to take his former place with Mr. Marshall.

Minlin Ballard, of Salem, has in his possession a relic of antiquity that has been in the Ballard family over a century and handed down from father to son. It is an eight dollar bill, Continental currency, 4 1/2 inches in size. In the center is a picture of forest trees, and across the bill at the top is printed "Eight Dollars;" at the bottom, "Philadelphia, printed by Hall & Sellers, 1776;" on the other side, "This Bill Entitles the Bearer to Receive Eight Spanish Milled Dollars of the Value Thereof in Gold or Silver, According to a Resolution of Congress Passed at Philadelphia July 21, 1776."

Mr. Strouse Closes in New Castle and Departs for Another Field.

Evangelist C. B. Strouse closed his meeting here last Tuesday night and started to his home in Salem on Wednesday morning. His preaching was characterized by intense earnestness and attended with results unprecedented in the history of this town. The number of conversions cannot be precisely ascertained, but it is inferred from the number of tickets handed out to those who made professions, that there were at least three hundred converts. If asked what constituted the power of this young man for good, we fancy that different people would give different answers. We prefer to let him give it, as we think he did in some of his closing sermons here, in which we understand him to say that it was a demonstration of the power of the Holy Spirit.

On some points of doctrine, Mr. Strouse teaches, as we understand him and as we are told by one who is familiar with his views, that the individual is saved, not in sin, but from sin. He that is born of God doth not commit sin, because Jesus is able to keep that which is committed unto him and does keep those who watch and pray from entering into temptation, and that through faith they are sanctified. He teaches that the converting power is from on high and that this power is also a sanctifying power.

On some minor points of doctrine there are sincere Christians in nearly every community who may not agree with Mr. Strouse, but all will accord him full sincerity, earnestness, consecration and great power for good. He has been instrumental in the accomplishment of a great work here and the blessings of our people follow him. The strongholds of vice in our midst that have not been actually battered down, have been rendered well-nigh powerless for evil.

The Christian element is united, organized, alert, and the good work promises to go on. Mr. Hypes, who accompanies Mr. Strouse, and conducts the music, is likewise a man of earnestness and power and is a valuable co-worker. We understand that their next meeting will be at Princeton, W. Va.—New Castle Record.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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"WHILE down in the Southwestern part of the State some time ago," says Mr. W. Chalmers, editor of the *Chico (Cal.) Enterprise*, "I had an attack of dysentery. Having heard of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I bought a bottle. A couple of doses of it completely cured me. Now I am a champion of that remedy for all stomach and bowel complaints." For sale by The Chas. Lyle Drug Company.

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EVERYBODY REMEMBERS HIM.

Who? Only One Joe Ott To-night at the Academy.

Joe Ott, who comes to the Academy of Music to-night in "The Star Gazer," and familiarly known as "the man who never smiles," is undoubtedly owing to the fact that off the stage his yet somewhat juvenile and good-natured countenance is practically unknown. He never has familiarized the public with his personal portraits of any description, always harboring the belief that there is more merit, as far as drawing power is concerned, in a lithograph or cut of one of his characters, or a scene from the play, than from a whole half dozen portraits. Nevertheless, a man's belief is oftentimes made changeable. An instance in this particular is so firmly registered in the mind of the comedian that it is very probable he will never forget it.

One afternoon last winter a belated express train on one of the prominent Western roads landed the comedian and his weary company in one of its smaller yet promising cities on its line. As the average thespian knows, it is not an uncommon occurrence to behold a large per cent of the population at the depot upon arrival. It was no exception to the rule on this particular day. They were there from the man who handled the baggage to the most popular merchant. There had existed, it seems, a constant desire on the part of everybody to behold this wonderful man, "who never smiles." But lo, they were all disappointed. Instead they saw a modest company of players as ever appeared in their midst for many a day. Encouraging news reached the ears of those who silently uptown awaited their arrival, but it was also counteracted by the report that Joe Ott, the old man who never smiled, was not with the troupe, at least he did not get off the train.

That settled it. They were to be treated to another "snide" affair, and the outlook for a large house was very cloudy indeed as the doors of the opera house were thrown open at the usual hour. The comedian, at once grasped the situation hurriedly, retired to his dressing room, made up as the old astronomer, and for one hour posed as the much-talked-of absent individual in and about the lobby of the theatre. This at once started the ball a-rolling. The pasteboards commenced to glide out of the box window, and as the curtain went up a comfortable sized audience laughed incessantly at the funny capers furnished by Mr. Ott and his troupe of Star Gazers. It goes without saying that the star's dressing room of the theatre that night contained for once a well pleased actor, even though he did have to submit to a humiliation.

Jules Grau's Opera Company.

At the Academy of Music, October 10 Jules Grau's Opera Company will present on a grand scale, with elaborate scenery and costumes, the greatest of all comic operas, *The Beggar Student*. This will be a great treat, that only comes once in years. Each artist has a great part in this opera. In addition to the opera, Miss Randall will introduce a popular song; Mr. Frear, the well-known comedian, will sing new topical songs, and, owing to the great demand, Mr. Libbey will sing "After the Ball" and other popular songs. Sale of seats open this morning. As the demand for seats is so great we would advise all to secure them at once.

TEACHERS' CONCERT.

An Interesting Programme Rendered Saturday Night at Hollins Institute.

Contrary to her usual custom, for concerts at Hollins, but in accordance with her action for the last three months, nature preserved a smiling countenance for the evening of October 5, 1895. The appointed hour found an expectant audience to greet the members of the musical faculty of the school, while the programme, presenting such composers as Schumann, Grieg, Beethoven, Haydn, Winiawski, Merkel and Verdi, promised variety in styles of composition as well as merit of music. This concert being the first of the session's series of musical entertainments is always looked for with interest by the pupils and furnishes with inspiration to them in their studies and motifs for their musical taste.

Between the organ, piano, violin, voice and elocution, there was also sufficient change to satisfy the opposers of the same instrument, while the happy arrangement of the numbers added effects from natural contrasts.

As the majority of the audience had never been present at any of these delightful concerts, it was gratifying to note evidences of the fact that they were appreciative of truly good music. The old members of the musical faculty wore, as usual, enthusiastically received, and delighted their hearers with artistic work. Miss Weaver, the new violin teacher, surprised everyone with her magnificent technique. She is an artist in every respect, and throws an energy into her work which cannot fail to produce good results. Miss Jackson, who succeeds Miss Hume as elocution teacher, recited one of Maupassant's short stories with fine appreciation of the situations depicted. She is a talented and finished elocutionist, and one who delightfully entertains an audience with her natural, easy and graceful manner. Hollins may be congratulated upon the possession of such a musical faculty as the present one.

W. K. ANDREWS & Co., 219 Salem avenue, handle Pocahontas, Russell Creek, Thacker, Banner, Brush Mountain, Anthracite and Semi-Bituminous, Red Ash coal; also crushed coke and wood.

DECORATING GRAVES.

A Graceful Act by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 7.—Few events attracted more attention here than the visit of the "Ancient and Honorable Artillery of Boston." They were up early this morning and had a full dress parade at 11 o'clock. At 1:30 they were escorted to the Blues' armory, where they had refreshments. After this they visited Wright's tobacco factory.

Early this morning carriages containing committees of the Boston company left the hotel. One went to the National Cemetery, where the committee decorated the graves of the Federal soldiers buried there with a wreath of rare buds and blossoms, brought from Boston. The wreath was draped with blue colors. The other carriage went to Hollywood Cemetery, where the graves of the Confederate dead were decorated with a similar handsome wreath brought from Boston and draped with the blue and gray colors.

At Hollywood Cemetery, Rev. O. A. Roberts, of Melrose, made the following beautiful prayer: "Everlasting Father, We thank Thee for this glorious morning. We bless Thee for the respect and sympathy which call Thy servants to this consecrated spot. Command Thy blessing rest upon us and upon this service. Here, where lie the remains of thousands of our fellow countrymen, who were brave in war, patient in suffering, we come with malice towards none and with charity towards all," and expect our memorial to commemorate their valor and sacrifice.

LATEST LONDON NEWS.

Short Skirts Favored by Lady Jeune—Our Girls Defended.

(Special London cable letter, copyright 1895, by the A. P.)
 LONDON, Oct. 7.—Lady Jeune, in a popular cycling paper, has attracted considerable attention in view of the fact that the writer is the wife of a well-known judge at the probate divorce and admiralty division of the high court of justice and also because she is popular in the highest society and an authority on social questions. She says she thinks that bloomers have no advantage whatever over short skirts, while the former, in her opinion, are less comfortable and less graceful to wear, which would seem to show that the writer has tried them. Lady Jeune further claims that woman is not made to wear tight-fitting apparel and that when she does she becomes "ugly and misshapen."

Sister Mary Regis, who has done so much to establish the lace industry of Voughal, Ireland, is dead. She designed some really magnificent pieces of lace work, including the splendid lace fan which was presented by Earl Crewe to the Duchess of York upon the occasion of her marriage two years ago.

In Lady Colin Campbell's Realm, this week, Gertrude Atherton has an article in which she makes a vigorous defense of Americans, especially among girls, as an answer to the paper's recent attacks. She says that the paper judges Americans by the "vulgar thousands who rush to Europe to spend their newly-made dollars and by the 'popper' girls who cross their legs and eat candy in the reading rooms of the Grand or Metropolitan."

A New Trial Possible.

RICHMOND, Oct. 7.—The supreme court of Virginia to-day awarded a writ of error to a judgment of the county court of Lunenburg in the case of Solomon Marable, who is under sentence of death upon the charge of murdering Mrs. Lucy Jane Pollard in Lunenburg last June. It is thought that Marable will get a new trial, and that some interesting revelations will be made. The opinion is held here by many that a white man will be brought into the case.

R. M. Sutton & Co.

CAPT. D. C. BOOTH, agent of R. M. Sutton & Co., of Baltimore, wholesale dealers in dry goods and notions, whose sample rooms are in the Hotel Lee, (corner Salem avenue and Commerce street) has just received and opened up the largest and most complete line of dry goods and notion samples ever exhibited in this city. Captain Booth will be pleased to see the merchants of the city and surrounding country at his sample rooms.

Did You Ever Think

That you cannot be well unless you have pure, rich blood? If you are weak, tired, languid and all run down, it is because your blood is impoverished and lacks vitality. These troubles may be overcome by Hood's Sarsaparilla because Hood's Sarsaparilla makes pure, rich blood. It is, in truth, the great blood purifier.
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THE LIMITATIONS OF YOUTH.

I'd like to be a cowboy on a ride a fiery horse
 Way out into the big an boundless west.
 I'd like to be an entertainer on a stage
 Come across.
 I'd like to pluck the bulthead eagle from his nest!
 With my pistols at my side.
 I would roam the prairie wide
 An to scarp the savage Indian in his wigwam
 would I ride—
 If I darst, but I darst not!
 I'd like to go to Africa and hunt the lions there,
 An the biggest o'ly-fants you ever saw!
 I would track the fierce gorilla to his square
 torial lair,
 An heard the cannibal that eats folks raw!
 I'd chase the pizen snakes
 An the "bottoms" that makes
 He nest down at the bottom of unfathomable
 lakes—
 If I darst, but I darst not!
 I would I were a pirate to sail the ocean blue,
 With a big black flag a-dyn overhead!
 I would scour the billowy main with my gal-
 lat pirate crew
 An eye the sea a-prowy, gory red!
 With my cutlass in my hand
 On the quarterdeck I'd stand,
 And to decks of heroism I'd write my pirate
 laud—
 If I darst, but I darst not!
 And, if I darst, I'd heek my pa for the times
 that he's heek and
 I'd heek my brother an my teacher too!
 I'd heek the fellows that call round on sister
 after tea,
 An I'd keep on Bekin folks till I got through!
 You bet! I'd run away
 From my lessons to my play,
 An I'd show the boys an tease the cat, an kiss
 the girls all day—
 If I darst, but I darst not!

A Successful Lecture.

All lecturers like to have their efforts appreciated, and some want all the world to realize how great was the satisfaction of their audience. The American tells of an instance where this inclination showed the lecturer in an amusing light.
 Brown—"I say, James, the boy from the newspaper office has called for the report of that lecture. Is it finished?"
 James (a novice)—All but a short sentence in the middle of it, and I can't for the life of me make out from my notes what it is.
 Brown—Oh, just put in "Great applause," and let it go.
 James acts on the suggestion, and the lecture is sent for publication with the doctored part reading:
 "Friends, I will detain you but a few moments longer. [Great applause.]—Youth's Companion."

"Silence"

The readers of Shakespeare will recognize Silence as a family name in old England, and it still exists, though it is not usual. An English judge in a provincial court recently called up a simple looking lady as a witness.
 "Madam?" cried the judge pompously.
 "Thir (sir)?"
 "What is your name?"
 The woman lifted her eyes.
 "Silence, sir."
 "Madam, there is no need of any evasion. I repeat, what is your name?"
 "I said Silence, thir."
 "I know you did. Now no more trifling. Instantly give me your whole name."
 "Sally Silence, thir."

MAKING TOYS.

The Art Descending From One Generation to Another in St. Ulrich.
 Miss Amelia B. Edwards, in her "Un-trodden Peaks," mentions many an interesting visit to the homes of the working people of St. Ulrich, where so many toys are made.

In one house, runs the account, we found an old, old woman at work, Magdalena Paldauf by name. She carved cats, dogs, wolves, sheep, goats and elephants. She has made those six animals her whole life long, and she has no idea of how to cut anything else. She makes them in two sizes, and she turns out as nearly as possible a thousand of them a year.

She has no model or drawing of any kind to work by, but goes on steadily, unerringly, using gouges of different sizes and shaping out her cats, dogs, wolves, sheep, goats and elephants with an ease and an amount of truth to nature that would be clever if it were not utterly mechanical. Magdalena Paldauf learned from her mother how to carve those six animals, and her mother had learned, in like manner, from her grandmother. Magdalena has now taught the art to her own granddaughter, and so it will go on being transmitted for generations.

In another house Miss Edwards found the whole family carving skulls and crossbones for fixing at the bases of crucifixes, for the wood carving of Grodner Thal is religious in its nature as well as amusing. In other houses there were families that carved rocking horses or dolls or other toys, and in still other houses there were families of painters.

In one house we found about a dozen girls painting gray horses with black points. In another house they painted only red horses with white points. It is a separate branch of the trade to paint saddles and headgear. A good hand will paint 12 dozen horses a day, each horse being about a foot in length, and for these she is paid 55 soldi, or about 2s. 3d.

Cyrus Field as a Host.

Happening to be a visitor in the Washington building recently and passing the old office of Cyrus Field I recalled the day the house was opened to the public. Mr. Field was extremely proud of it. He had invited 200 or 300 friends to a banquet on the roof and stood at the open hatchway to welcome all who came. It was late when we walked a man of middle age who had never seen Cyrus Field in his life and had not only not received an invitation to the banquet, but knew nothing about such an affair. He was merely looking around the building.
 "You are just the man we all are waiting for," said Mr. Field, holding out his hand with a merry laugh. "Come right along. The feast is ready."
 Before the man could ask for an explanation the host had hurried him along to one of the most conspicuous seats at the board and ordered the best in the house for him. He had a knack of making every one feel perfectly at home. His end was very pitiful.—New York Press.